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REPLY TO
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MEMORANDUM FOR Director, Training and Education Division,
Marine Corps Combat Development Command,
ATTN: C467J (Mr. Duffy), 1019 Elliott
Road, Quantico, VA 22134-5027

SUBJECT: U.S. Marine Corps M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course
(020-2146) Memorandum of Understanding

1. The original copy of the M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is provided for signature process.
2. After the MOU has been signed, please return the signed original to HQ TRADOC, Interservice Training Office.
3. Your cooperation is appreciated. If additional information is required, please contact Mr. Shepherd, DSN 680-5645.

FOR THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR TRAINING:

Enclosure


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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN

U.S. ARMY ARMOR CENTER AND FORT KNOX

U.S. ARMY TRAINING AND DOCTRINE COMMAND

AND

U.S. MARINE CORPS COMBAT DEVELOPMENT COMMAND

SUBJECT: U.S. Marine Corps M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course
(020-2146)

1. PURPOSE: The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to define the roles of the U.S. Army Armor Center and Fort Knox (USAARMC), Fort Knox, Kentucky and the U.S. Marine Corps (USMC) Combat Development Command, Quantico, Virginia, regarding the collocated USMC M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course (020-2146).

2. REFERENCES:

a. AR 351-9, OPNAVINST 1500.27D, AFR 50-18, MCO 1580.7C Interservice Training.

b. Interservice Support Agreement W22PEQ-85063-208, termination date July 1996.

3. PROBLEM: To specify guidelines, channels of command, control and coordination attendant to performing host/tenant support responsibilities.

4. SCOPE: This MOU delineates specific responsibilities and procedures for the conduct of the collocated USMC M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course at the U.S. Army Armor Center and Fort Knox. These responsibilities include course design, Program of Instruction (POI) modification, administrative and logistic actions, and conduct of training. This MOU may be further supplemented by a separate Interservice Support Agreement.

5. TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

a. Administration:

(1) The U.S. Army Armor Center will:

(a) Act as host for the collocated USMC Tank System Mechanic Course and provide the following:

1) Barracks and messing facilities that allow the Commanding Officer, Marine Corps Detachment (CO, MCD) to maintain unit integrity.

2) Administrative space for the CO, MCD, his technical training personnel and staff.

3) Appropriate facilities to support training as required. This includes administrative space and quarters for permanent party personnel and access to classrooms, dining facilities, ranges, and training areas.

4) Instructor Training Course (ITC) certification and faculty development courses, if required, as well as allow participation in any instructor recognition programs.

5) Training coordination and logistics support as required for mission accomplishment.

(b) Determine the annual training requirements during the Department of the Army Structure Manning Decision Review process as defined in Army Regulation 350-10, Management of Army Individual Training Requirements and Resources.

(c) Prepare and submit Course Administrative Data (CAD) IAW TRADOC Regulation 351-1.

(2) The U.S. Marine Corps will:

(a) Establish and maintain the CO, MCD, subordinate to the Deputy Commander for Training and Education, Marine Corps Combat Development Command. Marine Corps permanent personnel will be assigned to the MCD, Fort Knox, Kentucky. The CO, MCD will exercise all authority associated with command which includes but not limited to administrative control, pay, legal, and USMC training matters.

(b) The CO, MCD is the spokesman for the Commandant of the Marine Corps. He will maintain liaison with the USAARMC and tenant activities as required.

(c) All Marine Corps personnel will conform to local Army range, maintenance, billeting, safety, and supply (where applicable) policies and Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) in all instances except where they are in direct conflict with U.S. Marine Corps regulations. These conflicts will be resolved between the CO, MCD and USAARMC officials.

(d) Provide orientation on U.S. Marine Corps technical training requirements.

(e) Retain UCMJ authority over USMC service personnel stationed or undergoing instruction at the host service training location.

(f) Furnish the estimated training requirements projected by fiscal year (FY) to the Army's Structure Manning Decision Review (SMDR) in time to be included in the proper planning cycle, but NLT 1 March.

b. Concept of Operations. The POI for USMC M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course is a Marine Corps responsibility (collocated course).

(1) The U.S. Army Armor Center will:

(a) Provide training devices and simulators required to support the Marine Corps students.

(b) Return all equipment to USMC that was procured and paid for by the USMC for conduct of the M1A1 Tank System Mechanic Course if interservice training is discontinued.

(2) The U.S. Marine Corps will:

(a) Provide instructors who are technically qualified to conduct training.

(b) Ensure that the Marine Corps personnel are stabilized as authorized by existing Marine Corps policies and provide timely replacement to the maximum extent possible.

(c) Ensure that all Marine Corps personnel meet the standards of performance, personal appearance, and professional conduct.

(d) Render efficiency/fitness reports as required by existing policies and service regulations.

(e) Assign additional duties as required to support Marine Corps functions.

(f) Accept that the USMC collocated course training standards, associated maintenance and logistics support will be prescribed by higher headquarters budget guidance. Should MCCDC desire training standards that are higher than currently funded, MCCDC will transfer funds directly to Fort Knox to offset the cost differences. Armor Center representatives will notify the CO MCD in writing when further funding cuts are projected.

6. Terms of Understanding. The terms of this MOU may be reviewed and supplemented, as required, by mutual consent, attached hereto. Provisions of this agreement will be reviewed annually on the anniversary date.



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